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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
OLIVER BORSCH et al.	)	Group Art Unit 3682
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Serial No.: 10/687,403	)	
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Filed: October 16, 2003	)	
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For: INTERMEDIATE BEARING	)	Attorney Docket 1-24793

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.